

## URGENT DRUG RECALL



<i>Product</i>	<i>NDC Number</i>	<i>Product</i>	<i>NDC Number</i>
<b>Liposyn II 10%</b> (Intravenous Fat Emulsion)	<b>NDC 0409-9786-03</b>	<b>Liposyn III 30%</b> (Intravenous Fat Emulsion)	<b>NDC 0409-6892-03</b>
<b>Liposyn II 20%</b> (Intravenous Fat Emulsion)	<b>NDC 0409-9789-03</b>	<b>Propofol Injectable Emulsion 1%</b>	<b>NDC 0409-4699-24</b>
<b>Liposyn III 10%</b> (Intravenous Fat Emulsion)	<b>NDC 0409-9790-02</b> <b>NDC 0409-9790-03</b>		<b>NDC 0409-4699-30</b> <b>NDC 0409-4699-33</b>
<b>Liposyn III 20%</b> (Intravenous Fat Emulsion)	<b>NDC 0409-9791-02</b> <b>NDC 0409-9791-03</b>		<b>NDC 0409-4699-61</b> <b>NDC 0409-4699-63</b>
<b>All lots of Liposyn and Propofol beginning with 79 or 80</b> <b>(see reply form for specific lot numbers)</b>			

October 16, 2009

Dear Valued Customer:

Hospira, Inc. is voluntarily recalling lot numbers of the Liposyn and Propofol products identified above that begin with the numbers 79 and 80. These lots were distributed between August, 2009 and October, 2009. No other lots are impacted by this recall. Hospira expects to have replacement product soon. Please contact your Hospira representative regarding availability of replacement product.

Hospira has initiated this voluntary recall because some of the containers may contain particulate matter. The source of the particulate matter has been identified by Hospira as stainless steel equipment used in the manufacturing process. Hospira has not received any reports of adverse events from its customers. The risk evaluation performed by Hospira's medical staff has categorized the overall risk as moderate. This recall is being conducted as a precautionary measure. Hospira has identified the root cause and corrective actions have been implemented.

Hospira has notified the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). This recall has not yet been assigned a class by the FDA.

**If you have inventory of the product identified above, quarantine it immediately. Please complete the attached Reply Form and fax it to Stericycle at 1-888-656-6387, even if you do not have the affected product. Once completed, make a copy of the reply form for your records and return the entire completed form with your product to Stericycle using the prepaid RS shipping label enclosed.**

Please inform healthcare professionals in your organization of this recall. If you have distributed the product further, notify your accounts that may have received the product identified above of this recall and ask them to contact Stericycle to obtain a reply form and a return package. Alternately, you may have Stericycle contact your accounts directly by calling them at 1-866-654-0725 and supplying them a consignee list.

Hospira will credit your account for product returned as a result of this recall.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Stericycle at 1-866-654-0725.

For medical inquiries, please call Hospira Medical Communications at 1-800-615-0187.



Hospira is committed to providing our customers with the highest level of service and product quality. We appreciate your cooperation, and we regret any inconvenience this action may cause.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "JS" with a stylized flourish.

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